

IS "CAPTAIN WARD" HOWARD OWENS?

He Answers the Description of the Young Man from Warrenton.

DECLINES TO AFFIRM OR DENY.

"Ward" Came Down From Baltimore Monday and Promised to Bring Back 140 Recruits in a Few Days—The Arrest.

"Captain F. C. Ward" of whoever he is, seems to be fairly comfortable at the city jail and is about as talkative as an oyster.

He has retained Mr. E. M. Boucher as counsel and hopes to have the services of James P. Jeffries, Esq., Commonwealth's Attorney of Fauquier county, or Captain George D. Wise.

IS HE HOWARD OWENS? A telegram was received from the Times correspondent at Warrenton, Va., last night which said:

"The young man representing himself to be Captain F. C. Ward, of the United States Army, who was arrested in Richmond yesterday for passing a bogus



CAPTAIN F. C. WARD.
(The young man in full who claims to be an army officer.)

check on Colonel Hart, United States recruiting officer there, answers the description of Howard L. Owens, of this city, a son of N. W. Owens, of N. W. Owens & Co.

"Young Owens left here about the middle of July, it was supposed, for the University of Virginia, to take the summer law course. At Charlottesville it is charged that he secured money on two checks of \$5 and \$5 respectively.

"He then went to Chicago and, it is said, knowing Captain Senator John J. Jeffries, got him to endorse his check for \$5 on a check of \$5, of this place, and which was dishonored. His next field was Washington and Baltimore, where it is alleged, he secured a considerable amount of money in the same manner.

IN BALTIMORE, "The most extensive operations, it is said, were in Baltimore, where he is charged with having represented himself as being the brother of N. W. Owens & Co. and going into several wholesale houses and purchasing goods, in each case tendering drafts in payment of same. All the drafts, it is said, were drawn for a large sum, and he is charged with having secured several hundred dollars.

"Among the losers in Baltimore were Templeman Bros., Daniel Miller & Co., and Fitzgerald, Wicks & Co., R. D. Cole, of Frederickburg, and a check of \$5 for him. This was due to his acquaintance with the family of Mr. Cole.

"It is reported that the money he has secured amounts to over \$100. A special telegram from Baltimore last night said:

"The 'Captain Ward' under arrest in Richmond is believed here to be Howard L. Owens. The description of Owens is looked up in the desk of the chief-of-detectives and cannot be obtained tonight."

HIS "RECRUITS." "Ward" came to Richmond from Baltimore last Monday on a York River steamer. He told Captain Murphy that he would return from Richmond "in the week with 140 recruits for Camp Meade, near Middletown, Pa."

"Ward" received newspaper men curiously but declined under any circumstances to discuss his case. When told last night that it seemed to be conclusively shown that he was Howard L. Owens and he was asked to affirm or deny the charge, he said the case was in the hands of his attorney and he must obey instructions not to say anything.

THE GIRL HE LEFT BEHIND. When the arrest was made, Marshal Trent found "Ward" talking to a girl at Reserve Park. He walked up in the rear of the girl and called:

"Captain Ward." There was no response until the second call was made, when "Ward" turned. When told by Mr. Trent that he wished to speak to him, "Ward" called himself and stopped aside. Marshal Trent then served the warrant, the prisoner offering no objection, and started off with him. Mr. Trent always follows, and in this case he followed "Ward" to the hotel where he was arrested. "Ward" was to be released, but he did not know her name. She was evidently a chance acquaintance.

People at Providence Forge. PROVIDENCE FORGE, Aug. 12.—Special.—It was exceedingly warm here today, the thermometer being 72 degrees in the office of the hotel. The first shower we had freshened up things much.

Among the arrivals at the hotel this week were Messrs. Baker, of the Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York; Hicks, of west Main, Richmond; Clark, of Richmond, and Caset and Tenner.

Miss Nettie Lipscomb, of Richmond, is visiting Mrs. Spencer.

There will be a large excursion here from Richmond on Wednesday, August 16th—Sacred Heart.

Miss Jeanette Parrott, who has been working for the Chesapeake and Ohio, as an extra operator, has been assigned a permanent position as agent and operator at Elko.

Mrs. Paul Jordens, of Baltimore, is visiting the Jordens of Charles City.

A Publisher Bankrupt. NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed today in the United States Court in Brooklyn by John Harper Bondell, publisher, with liabilities of \$70,132. The petitioner claims assets of only \$300.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL. Interesting Facts About Richmond's Citizens and Other Matters.

Miss Annie C. Williams is at Chase City, Va., to spend one or two months.

Miss Annie Hamilton, of Newport News, is visiting relatives of this city.

Miss Sadie Lumpkin has returned after a pleasant trip to Petersburg.

Miss Lillian Butcher has returned home

from Petersburg after visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Bessie A. Wray, of 510 west Cary street, has gone to Goodland to spend three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Schilling of Norfolk are visiting relatives in this city and will go from here to Washington.

Miss Alice M. Richardson of north Twentieth street left yesterday to visit family and friends in Louisa.

Mrs. Jennie Bellings and Miss May Bellings, of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. John Talley, 401 east Main.

Mrs. Ida Fleet, of 28 7-2 south Pine street, is visiting relatives in New Kent county, near Tunstall's Station.

Rev. Father O'Hara, of St. Patrick's Parish, has gone on a short visit to New York.

Miss Mary Broadnax Robertson, of Savannah, is staying with her uncle, Mr. John C. Robertson, at Forest Hill.

Secretary Ben. P. Owen was not in his office yesterday, being detained at home because of the serious illness of his son.

Miss Leigh Inman and Miss Hope Cates, of this city, left yesterday to visit friends and relatives of Petersburg.

Mr. W. P. Guma, of Radford, who has announced himself a candidate for Secretary of the Commonwealth, is at Murphy's.

President Williams, of the Seaboard Air-Line, is expected back in Richmond tomorrow.

Mr. Charles F. Taylor and family, of 612 1/2 China street, have returned from Boston, Mass., where they enjoyed a pleasant visit to relatives in that city.

Miss L. Bea Martin left Monday for Newport, R. I., and Narragansett Pier, where she will spend the remainder of the summer.

Neddon Knapp, No. 2 L. O. O. F., will hold an important meeting next Tuesday night at Monroe Hall, No. 611 west Main street.

Mr. Thomas Jardine, chief draughtsman at the William H. Trice Ship-Building plant, has gone to Scotland for a month's vacation.

Dr. Thomas Stately, of Marion, is filling the position of resident physician at the Retreat for the Sick during the vacation of Dr. Reese.

Mr. W. Jos. Gentry has returned home from a country where he spent his vacation with relatives and friends, and had a delightful time.

Mr. Edward Sheehan, of 36 north Thirtieth street, has returned from a two weeks' visit to his brother in West Virginia and old home in Staunton.

Mr. Horace Wright and Mr. C. L. Eubank left yesterday for a three weeks' tour of Baltimore, Philadelphia, Washington, and Atlantic City.

Miss Laura Woodward, who has been visiting relatives at 121 east Clay street for the past several weeks, left for her home in Lexington, Va., yesterday.

Miss Rosa Lee Bolton, of Fulton, entertained a few friends last Thursday evening at her home in honor of her friend, Miss Nettie Carson, of Sweet Chalybeite.

Miss Nettie Ryder, Miss Fannie Mathews and Sidney Burrows, of this city, will leave Monday to visit friends and relatives in Staunton and Charlottesville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lieberman, of Atlanta, Ga., whose visits are always occasions of pleasure to their friends here, are spending a few days at the Jefferson.

Capt. James B. Angle, who has been out of the city for some days, will return Monday. In his absence Serat Junius A. Coby has been in charge of the district.

Messrs. P. Kemper Rector and John R. Welsh are on a visit to the home of the former's parents, Fairview, Fauquier county. They will be absent about two weeks.

Miss Sadie Martin and brother, Willie, accompanied by their aunt, Miss Minnie Wood, of 319 China street, have gone to Hanover to spend the remainder of the summer.

Misses Ray and Sella Bass, of Church Hill, are having a delightful time with relatives at Louisa Court House, where they will reside during the month of August.

Mrs. W. W. Barrow and Misses Florence and Mary Barrow, of 90 Floyd avenue, are spending the month of August at the Monterey Inn, Blue Ridge Summit, Pa.

Mrs. J. R. Stith and little daughter, and Master Robert Kirkland, of 214 Washington street, left yesterday on a visit to her mother, Mrs. James Cunningham, near Sturgeonville, Brunswick county.

Detective Wren saw John Stevens, a 12-year-old darkey, with some lead pipe in his possession. The boy was placed away in the Second Station for future reference on the charge of being a suspicious character.

Miss Ada B. Coby, who has been a long sufferer from Adulmia, was successfully operated upon yesterday afternoon at her home by Dr. J. David Spaulding, assisted by Dr. Clifton M. Miller. Yesterday she was doing nicely.

Mrs. Virginia Pendleton, Miss Lillian Pendleton, Mrs. Margaret Reynolds, of Manchester, Masters Hugh and Virginia Pendleton, of Richmond, left today for Fording and Charlottesville to spend August and September.

Col. Richardson, Register of the Land Office, received yesterday from West Virginia lawyers for ten certified copies of grants, covering 2,500,000 acres of land. Though others and requests for information are received at the Land Office daily, yesterday was a record breaker.

Yesterday morning about 10 o'clock the trolley wire of the east-bound cars on the Clay street line broke at the corner of Hancock and Broad streets. It was discovered as soon as it occurred, and no damage was done. The wire parted near one of the suspension wires and only one end fell to the ground. This was taken up and tied to the R. F. and P. freight car. The cars were held for a run of about forty feet without a trolley wire.

Richmonders in New York. NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Special.—Richmond arrivals: Barthold, Mrs. N. Harves; Imperial, J. R. Howard; Park Avenue, E. F. Hutchings; S. Dennis, J. Miller; Astor, G. G. Vorsham; Marlborough, J. M. Shepard.

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MARTIN-BOYKIN SIDE OF STORY

The Isle of Wight County Committee Take Action.

RESOLUTIONS WERE ADOPTED.

Scottsville Delegates Urged to Vote for None But Martin Men—Ashland Elects Wickham and Cardwell Delegates—Political News.

SUFFOLK, VA., August 12.—Special.—Here is the Martin-Boykin side of the Isle of Wight fight as set forth in the resolutions adopted by the County Executive Committee yesterday (Friday) at the court-house:

Whereas in pursuance of a call of the chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of the county of Isle of Wight a mass meeting was held at the court-house of said county on the 7th day of August last to nominate a candidate of the Democratic party for the House of Delegates, and to select delegates to the senatorial convention to be held at Suffolk on the 25th day of August; and

Whereas the conduct and action of the faction of said party advised, aided and actively participated in by a large number of Republicans and non-residents of said county, was not only contrary to the established rules and usages of the Democratic party, but was so violent, turbulent and menacing to the public peace that it constituted a danger to the safety, order and tranquility of said county;

Resolved, That the friends and supporters of Dr. Charles Bradshaw, one of the candidates for the House of Delegates, be requested to submit to a count of his supporters by the four tellers duly and legally selected in pursuance of a resolution of said meeting; two of whom, in accordance with said resolution were named by Dr. Bradshaw and two by the tellers, Jones, and

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The people of Richmond are discerning. They do not allow the wool to be pulled over their eyes by blatant talk and blustering statements. It is not sufficient to spout forth all nonsensical arguments that cannot really hold water. Demonstration is THE CRY NOW! Ocular at that! This is exactly why the Sovereign Remedy Company is now in Richmond appealing to the intelligence and common sense of the inhabitants.

If you are sick and need a medicine you naturally wish to try one that is an honest preparation, which you can analyze; in fact, if necessary, you would like to know what you are taking. This is what we offer you. There is no appeal to Faith, and Charlatanism. When you are asked to believe that you can swallow the whole contents of a bottle of Faith pellets and positively do you no harm; still they keep at you ding-dong that notwithstanding their harmlessness they will cure you. CURE YOU OF WHAT? This is the great question for the people of Richmond to decide. We leave it to their intelligence, confident that when both sides are weighed that they will without hesitation use remedies that can be analyzed and where Faith is absolutely not essential.

They have been tested with the most phenomenal success for many years, and in introducing them to the people of Richmond we hope to inspire the same confidence as to their value, efficacy and purity as they have and are enjoying in other parts of America and Great Britain, Ireland, and the British Colonies.

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Another vital question that you should consider is, Does Homeopathy increase drunkenness? It is a well-known fact that if the Pellets are Medicated, it must be with an Alcoholic Solution. Sufficiently Strong so as not to melt the Sugar Pellets. How many households may have been ruined unwittingly in this manner is not for us to say. Everybody in this free country can do as they please within the law. We do not criticize Homeopathy. We feel, however, that it is our duty to boldly declare what Sovereign Remedies are as opposed to Homeopathy, and are prepared at all times to make our assertions good. Faith is INFINITE, but Homeopathy is FINITE.

REMEMBER! The SOVEREIGN REMEDIES can be analyzed to prove what we say—they are an honestly prepared line of medicines, with ten years' solid reputation. There is no question of who is the pioneer, as NOBODY has yet attempted to INFRINGE on them, and we stand or fall on their PURITY, EFFICACY and ORIGINALITY.

Mr. James J. Armstrong, the competent booking agent of the Main-Street Park Vaudeville, writes from New York that he has this week engaged for the park the strongest line of five acts that has ever left the Metropolis, and in his many years of experience as the agent of the leading theatres of this country, he has never seen a more complete aggregation of legitimate stars.

A promising feature of the bill is the fact that of the five acts, three of them last week were headlined at the New York vaudeville theatres.

First in this array of stellar acts, stands that of Raymond and Clark, the leaders of acrobatic comedy sketches. Mr. Raymond is not only a finely trained athlete but he is conspicuous as a comedian, whose comical mannerisms are well advanced, and entertaining. Miss Clark is as pretty as the picture you read about, and she has a few tricks that are fascinating.

Taken as a whole, the act is a medley of fun and music.

Scott and Wilson, who are this week liners at Tony Pastor's in New York, will do a knock-about act which is really clothed in clean humor and unalloyed ecstasies.

Another act that is new to Richmonders, is the character act of the Hall Sisters, three in number, who have a sketch that is a happy mingling of comedy, song, and dance. The latter is especially prominent as the girls are comedienne of the same school as the well remembered Elmore sisters.

Coulter and Starr will take care of the dancing portion of this charming bill and that they will do it successfully is not questioned as both comedians have headlined the corps of the largest minstrel organizations.

Laura Bennett, a dainty little woman, who is a great favorite in the North, will be heard in popular songs, and she will also introduce a long skirt "Walking Dance" that is the latest fad in vaudeville.

A glance at the bill shows that comedy predominates in every act, a rarity in the usual run of bills.

The company is engaged for the entire week, giving a performance every night and a matinee on Saturday.

The Auditorium. Manager Teah announces that the bill which he has prepared for the Auditorium this week is the best that he has presented his patrons this season, and this announcement is borne out by the bright array of names that is given.

The favorite German comedian, who has amused so many thousands of Richmond

Some Impartial Testimony.

Extract from letter received from Mr. Edward J. Yates, regarding the Sovereign Dyspepsia Remedy.

Baltimore, Md., June 28, 1899. Sovereign Remedy Co.,

Gentlemen—After taking a few doses of your Sovereign Dyspepsia Remedy, I relieved my stomach troubles, I relieved my vomiting in the morning after eating, also windy troubles and fainting spells. It also gave me appetite and a general good feeling. I consider it an UNPARALLELED Remedy for dyspepsia, and I recommend it to the public.

I have taken many different kinds of medicines, but have not found anything to equal your remedy. With pleasure I remain, Yours respectfully,

EDWARD J. YATES, 814 W. Pratt St., Baltimore, Md.

A well-known Baltimore barber testifies to the efficacy of the Sovereign Kidney Cure.

Sovereign Kidney Cure. Gentlemen—I have been a sufferer for years from kidney troubles—was confined to my bed for seven months—sharp pains, burning of the back, could get no relief from plaster, liniments or medicine taken internally—commenced taking your Sovereign Kidney Cure, and in two weeks all pain has ceased and I feel like a new man—my duties as a barber greatly improved, my complaint as I had to be on my feet all day long, and bending over my chair was agony to me—Your Sovereign Kidney Remedy certainly did wonders for me.

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Mr. Wain's emphatic testimony for the Sovereign Rheumatic Cure.

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Yours truly, GEO. M. WAIN, JR., 167 N. Poppleton street.